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David Waddell, Executive Secretary
Tennessee Regulatory Authority
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Re: *BellSouth Tariff to Apply a Terminating Switch Access Rate to Calls
Received Without the Calling Party Number*
Docket No 01-00493

Dear Mr. Waddell

On June 18, 2001 Sprint Communications Company L. P. filed a Petition to Intervene in connection with the referenced tariff. On June 22, 2001, BellSouth filed a request to suspend this tariff until the issues raised by Sprint in their intervention could be resolved. BellSouth further stated that it would file replacement tariff pages reflecting a revised effective date upon completion of discussions with Sprint. Jim Wright, counsel for Sprint, recently notified BellSouth that Sprint will be withdrawing its intervention and will not oppose the revised tariff.

Enclosed are the original and thirteen copies of BellSouth's revised tariff.

Access Services Tariff

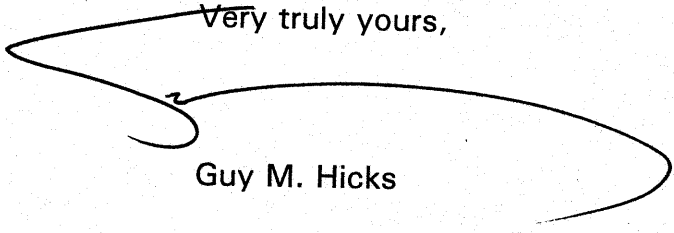
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BellSouth has also revised the effective date to February 18, 2002 to allow the Authority Staff 30 days for review.

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We appreciate your returning a receipted copy as evidence of this substitution. If you have questions, please call me or Jerry Jones at 214-3821.

Very truly yours,



Guy M. Hicks

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E2. GENERAL REGULATIONS

E2.3 Obligations of the Customer (Cont'd)

E2.3.12 Reserved for Future Use

E2.3.13 Coordination with Respect to Network Contingencies

The customer shall, in cooperation with the Company, coordinate in planning the actions to be taken to maintain maximum network capability following natural or man-made disasters, which affect telecommunications services.

E2.3.14 Jurisdictional Report Requirements¹

A. Jurisdictional Reports

1. Percent Interstate Usage (PIU)

- a. When the Company receives sufficient call detail to permit it to determine the jurisdiction of originating and terminating access minutes of use or messages, the Company will bill according to these actual minutes of use or messages and will not use the customer reported Percent Interstate Usage (PIU) factors. The Company developed percent interstate usage for access minutes of use will be determined at a statewide level.

The interstate percentage will be developed on a monthly basis by end office, when the access minutes are measured by dividing the measured interstate originating or terminating access minutes (the access minutes where the calling number is in one state and the called number is in another state) by the total originating or terminating access minutes.

The Company will bill according to actual measured minutes of use or messages for all services listed in b. and 4. following with the exception of those listed below:

- BellSouth SWA Local Channel
- BellSouth SWA Dedicated Interoffice Channel
- BellSouth Billing Name and Address
- BellSouth Inward Operator Service
- Channelization Equipment
- DNALs² associated with BellSouth SWA LSBSA

Where the Company receives insufficient call detail to *identify the calling station* to determine the jurisdiction, the Company will *charge the applicable rates for terminating BellSouth SWA as set forth in this Tariff*. In the event the customer does not supply the projected PIU and the Company does not have sufficient call detail to determine the jurisdiction of the call, only then will a PIU of 50 percent be applied. For the purpose of this tariff, where the customer is a third-party provider of CCS7 services to its customers ("Third Party Customers"), the customer will develop its projected PIU factor based upon a weighted average of the PIUs of its Third Party Customers' end-user traffic in accordance with the procedures described below. A Third Party Customer may elect to have the Company determine the weighted PIU and in so doing the CCS7 provider shall name and identify their third party customers. In the event a Third Party Customer does not provide a projected PIU or does not elect to have the Company determine the PIU, a 50 percent PIU will be utilized for that Third Party Customer until such time as the Company obtains sufficient data to develop the PIU as specified in b. following.

The customer will provide in its initial order the projected Percent Interstate Usage (PIU) at a statewide level on a local exchange company specific basis. When the customer computes the PIU it will subtract the developed PIU from 100 and the difference is the percent intrastate usage. The sum of the interstate and intrastate percentage will equal 100 percent. A PIU of less than 100 percent is not allowed where the interstate service is not also available as an intrastate access service. The projected PIU may include up to two decimals.

Note 1: Except where indicated herein, references to BellSouth SWA FGs will also include the applicable BellSouth SWA Basic Serving Arrangement as detailed in the matrix in E6.1.3.A. of this Tariff (e.g., the term BellSouth SWA FGA represents both BellSouth SWA FGA and BellSouth SWA LSBSA).

Note 2: Where BellSouth SWA LSBSA is provisioned with a DNAL, the DNAL rates should be apportioned between interstate and intrastate using the same PIU factor as is applied to the associated BellSouth SWA LSBSA.

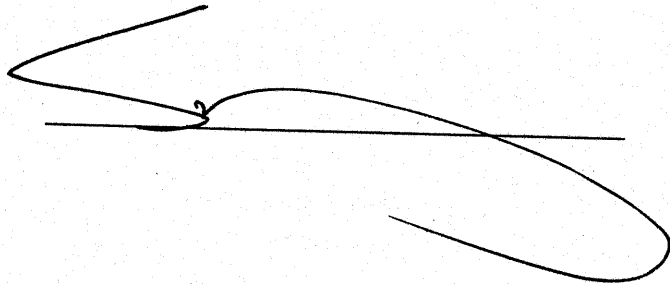
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on January 17, 2002, a copy of the foregoing document was served on the parties of record, via the method indicated:

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